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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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SIR:

Applicants acknowledge with appreciation the indication of allowability of the claimed invention. In response to the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance in the Notice of Allowance of November 17, 2009, Applicants respectfully submit the following comments.

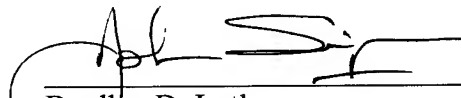
In the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance on page 2 of the Notice of Allowance, paragraph 1 states in part:

The prior art of record fails to teach a communication system comprising a base station; plural mobile stations; the plural mobile stations each configured to receive a common control signal from the base station.....

Although the above comment appears to address Claim 7, it is respectfully noted that independent Claim 8 does not include the languages recited above. For example, Claim 8 does not include a reference to "plural mobile stations each configured to....". Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that the above-quoted statement does not apply to Claim 8 to the extent the language used in the statement differs from the language of the claims.

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